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County Union Meets.

The Farmers' Union of Medina County met in regular session at Biry July 19, 1917.

President H. R. Wernette called the meeting to order and made a short talk expressing his appreciation of the good attendance there and the interest the Union takes in its work.

Bro. Bendele made a short talk to the many ladies and gentlemen; then followed Bro. Fletcher Davis. He gave a short talk on the food and feed question, etc.

Then the meeting was called into executive session. Bro. W. N. Saathoff was appointed chaplain.

There were five locals represented by delegates and a very interesting meeting was held, and interesting things were brought up, among which were as follows:

A motion was made and carried to call a meeting at Dunlay in two weeks (about July 28, 1917, at night, to discuss the Dunlay warehouse proposition. Biry, Dunlay and Quihi locals and other Farmers' Union brethren who are interested in this proposition are requested to be there.

The resolutions of the S. W. D. from which met at Seguin were thoroughly discussed, and the delegates to the State Convention were instructed to favor and work for some of them.

The Committee on Resolutions was asked to report and brought in some very good resolutions, such as: Graduated land tax; that is, where a rich man

owns rich land-owner has some good tillable agricultural land not in cultivation, should be assessed as high as his neighbor's land adjoining him who has brought his land under cultivation.

Another resolution was that all farmers, union or non-union, who have cotton, should be asked and urged to send from the ginners one sample, not to sell ONLY by that sample and by that sample only, as that is the only way to eliminate the city crop, which several thousand bales every year.

There were several other resolutions discussed.

Then the election of officers took place as follows: President, H. F. Wurzbach; Vice-President, J. S. Saathoff; Secretary-Treasurer, S. H. Saathoff; Chaplain, W. R. Routh; Conductors, Adolph Haby; Doorkeeper, Ed. Gansmeyer; Lecturer, H. Bendele. Executive Committee, H. W. Butts, Armin Bendele, Otto Wurzbach, Jacob Rothe and Jacob Riha. Chief Delegates to State Convention at Dallas, Albert Bilhartz; Advisory Delegates, E. E. Bohmfalk, S. H. Saathoff, H. F. Wurzbach.

The above is some of the business transacted during the meeting, but anything I must mention is the treatment we received while at Biry. One of the best dinners to be had, yes, and plenty of it, was there. The best thing of it was that the dinner was free and for nothing, thanks to the Biry local. I wish we could meet with the Biry local every week, if not oftener. The next regular meeting of the



ATTENTION!

Your friends are proud of you, the cause you will serve and the uniform you will wear but they want your photograph before you wear that uniform. Let CONLEY make those photographs now. Hondo.

County Union will be held at Lacoste and I hope that we will have as good a representation of the delegates from the locals of the county.

CONTRIBUTED.

Bader-Frerichs.

Mr. Alfred Bader and Miss Ida Frerichs stole a march on their friends and were married in San Antonio last Friday, July 13th, at 5:00 p. m. They immediately left for Galveston and other points east on a bridal trip. They will shortly be "at home" to their friends in Hondo.

The Anvil Herald, in connection with a host of other friends, extends congratulations and best wishes to the happy young couple and trust that their journey down life's pathway may be one of perpetual joy.

Vote of Thanks.

At the meeting of the Red Cross Thursday afternoon a standing vote of thanks was given the following:

Schmitt & Steinhardt for donation of hall, Mr. Frerichs for use of tables, Prof. Peeler and Boy Scouts for cleaning hall, the Baptist and Presbyterian congregation for use of chairs and those donating use of machines.

Hotel for Sale, Lease or Trade.

Brick hotel in D'Hanis will be leased under favorable terms to reliable party, or will trade for San Antonio property, Los Angeles Heights preferred. Address: J. H. BLAKE, care G. & H. Hagelstein, San Antonio, Texas.

Hondo Volunteers.

We have at last secured a list of those from Hondo who have voluntarily joined the army since the declaration of war, together with that branch of the service to which they are assigned. We think the list is complete to date, but if any name is omitted we wish to assure the party and his friends that the omission is not intentional:

U. S. NAVY.

Bader, Oscar Beal, Murphy
Bradley, Kyle Chancey, Osborne
Monkhouse, Joe Miller, Ben
Miller, Jake Schmidt, Overton
Taylor, Harry Taylor, Monroe
VanFleet, Clarence

U. S. MARINE CORPS.

Hollaway, Clyde Hollaway, Ross
Mofield, John

OFFICER'S TRAINING CAMP.

Jones, Hal Peters, Noah
Rogers, Joe

AVIATION CORPS.

Schmitt, Wm.

TEXAS NATIONAL GUARD - ARTILLERY BATTERY C.

Carle, Geo., Jr. Grell, Willie
Hornung, Alois Mercer, Alb.
Heyen, Albert Richter, Felix
Garteiser, Herman Schweers, Leo
Windrow, Willie Rothe, Hans
Stone, Roy

INFANTRY.

Bless, Rollie Bohmfalk, Emil
Frerichs, Rolf Heyen, Harry
Meyers, Jim Lynch, Freddie
Lippold, Meliff Montel, Elbert de
Montel, Emmet de Saathoff, Louis
Ward, Monroe Schuehle, Oscar

U. S. ARMY - REGULARS.

Ware, Jimmie

AMBULANCE CORPS.

McClagherty, Wesley

The boys who have enlisted in the infantry branch of the service went to Uvalde yesterday to be mustered into the state service. The members of the artillery branch are in San Antonio today for Federal inspection. Both branches will be mustered into the Federal service August 5th.

At least one, if not all three, of the boys in the marines is with the vanguard of the American army already in France.

Summer Normal Closes.

After seven weeks of hard, earnest work the Hondo Summer Normal closed yesterday afternoon (save for the final examinations which take place next week).

The faculty reports a splendid body of student-teachers and are well pleased with the work done by them.

Before the close of the session the following resolutions were unanimously adopted.

RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, we, the students of the Hondo Summer Normal of Hondo, Texas, have been highly benefited by the instruction we have received during the Normal, and

Whereas, we have been tendered the very best hospitality by the citizens of Hondo, and

Whereas, this district has sufficient population and interest in education to support a Normal every year as has been shown by the large attendance for the past five sessions;

Therefore, be it resolved: First that we express our hearty appreciation to the Board of Trustees for the use of the school building.

Second. That we express our hearty appreciation to Sup't. W. N. Saathoff, conductor, Prof. T. L. Williams, T. C. Hickman, J. W. Peeler and Miss Bertha Frenzel for their patience and painstaking instruction.

Third. That we, the student-body and faculty, extend our thanks to the members of the Epworth League for the pleasant evening picnic tendered us.

Fourth. That we extend to the citizens of Hondo our sincere appreciation for their financial support, kind hospitality and many courtesies shown.

Fifth. That we declare our wish to have the Summer Normal perpetuated in this District and that we pledge our support to that end.

NORMAL COMMITTEE.

Water-works Notice.

We will not furnish free garden water after July 1st.

47-1f HONDO DEEP WELL CO.

A Sad Tragedy.

Friends of the family everywhere were grieved and shocked beyond expression Saturday morning, July 14th, 1917, as the news spread that Mrs. Eric A. Rothe (nee Tony Reily) had burned to death at their home on Seco a few miles north of D'Hanis.

Mr. Rothe had gone out in the pasture and Mrs. Rothe was alone at home except for her two little children. Later she was found near her home, by relatives and neighbors, in the last agonies of death with most of her clothing burned from her body. How it occurred can only be surmised, as no one witnessed the awful tragedy.

The deceased was born June 27, 1891, and was therefore 26 years old. She was married in June 1913 to Eric A. Rothe. To this union were born two children, boys, aged three and one years. Her wedded life had been a happy one and her sad and untimely end has brought a sadness to the hearts of those who loved her which even time can never heal. Besides her husband and children, she is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reily, and several brothers and sisters.

All that was mortal of Mrs. Rothe was tenderly laid to rest at 3:30 o'clock, July 15, 1917, in the D'Hanis Catholic cemetery and the immortal consigned to the keeping of an all merciful God, after the beautiful and consoling rites of the Catholic church. A large concourse of sorrowing friends attested their respect for the departed and their sympathy for the bereaved by their presence at the funeral.

With life's tragedy ended, let us hope all is well with the deceased—that He who notes even the sparrow's fall, in his boundless realm of mercy, has a place of peace and surcease of sorrow for his children. Let her virtues live in the memory of her loved ones. So shall she rest in peace. F. D.

Program Junior League.

July 22nd, 3 p. m.

Leader, Ruth Fly.
Bible readings, Prov. 23-7 24-21.
Song, No. 145.
Lord's Prayer in concert.
Responsive reading, Psalm 29.
Reading by leader.
Piano Solo, Eva Long.
"As I Think," Ruth Windrow, Evelyn Lacy.
By the Side of the Road, Kathleen Lynch.
Catechism lesson, page 47, ch. 6.
Song, No. 117.
Benediction.

Barn Burns.

While Charlie Saathoff was working on a Ford car in his father's barn Thursday afternoon, the gasoline in some manner (presumably from a cigar) caught fire and the car and barn were destroyed. Mr. Saathoff was so severely burned as to require the services of a physician, but his burns are not considered dangerous.

The car and barn were a total loss but most of the contents of the barn were saved. The property belonged to F. J. Saathoff.

Notice to Auto Owners.

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W. B. ODOM, HONDO, TEXAS

Died.

News was received here Friday morning of last week announcing the death of T. A. White at St. Anthony, New Mexico.

Mr. White was the son of Mrs. B. Meriwether of this place. He was one of the organizers of the Hondo State Bank and was its first cashier. He held the position until compelled by failing health to resign. For the past several years, he has resided in New Mexico. He is survived by his wife and several children.

The Anvil Herald extends sympathy to the bereaved family.

Deserters Caught.

Two young men from the army camp at Leon Springs, who were attempting to desert and were following a pilot through the country in an effort to reach Mexico, were deserted by their pilot here Wednesday night and their suspicious movements led to their arrest by Sheriff Bader and his deputies. The third man returned to the army camp and reported the other two. Sheriff Bader took the boys to San Antonio yesterday morning. The horses, which they stole from the government reservation, are still in the hands of the sheriff's department.

Notice.

Hereafter I will sell milk at 10c. a quart; by the pint 6c.

51 C. D. EARNST, Phone 217.

Slightly used one ton truck attachment at bargain price. Perfect mechanical condition. See it at City Garage.

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Questions and Answers

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Are " " " " barn?

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Are " " " " hogpen?

Do you want any kind of lumber?

Do " " shingles?

Do " " iron roofing?

Do " " paints, oils, etc.?

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Buy your Filtered gasoline from McClaugherty & Son. 25-tf.
August Garteiser was a business caller at this office Monday.
H. B. Balzen, of Quihl, was a business caller at this office Saturday.
Ernest Martin, the Sabinal druggist, was here Sunday visiting home folks.
T. H. Flint, the lumber man, spent Sunday here, returning Monday to San Antonio.
A four wheel trailer you can attach to any car. Price right. See it at City Garage.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer were here Monday from Castroville on business and pleasure.
C. L. Kappner returned to his home in Bastrop Sunday after a pleasant visit to friends here.
Miss Vera Jones was here Sunday from Sabinal on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Jones.
For Sale—A Pennell reel and rod with 25 yards of line. \$5.00 outfit for \$2.50. See it at this office.
Whenever your windmill or gasoline engine needs repairing call on Edwin F. Bendele for quick service. 14-tf
Machine hemstitching and picot edging; 15 cents per yard. Mrs. H. B. Houston, Uvalde, Texas. 38-6mo.
Mrs. Rosa Carle and Miss Lena Burger were here from Duolay Monday and paid this office a pleasant call.
Buy your tires at City Garage. Satisfaction and courteous treatment assured. We appreciate your patronage. 46
FOR SALE OR TRADE—A good jack. Apply to August Bohmfalk, Phone 23-Ring 1 long 1 short. Yancey, Texas.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bierschwaile arrived Sunday from San Antonio on a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Horace Bradley.
Little Misses Mildred Garwood returned to her home in San Antonio Monday, after a pleasant visit to Miss Lora Horger.
Mrs. R. M. Jones returned to her home in Taylor, Texas, Monday after a visit to her father, M. J. Butts, on the Tehuacana.
Mrs. C. B. Ballard and two children left for their home at Kingsville Monday after a visit to Mrs. Ballard's sister, Mrs. J. F. Slater.
Frank Ward returned from San Antonio Sunday. Mrs. Ward and baby who accompanied him to the city last week, returned Tuesday.
Mail orders promptly attended to. Phone or write us for any and every thing usually sold in a Drug store. W. H. Windrow, Prescription Druggist, Hondo.

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Take advantage of the renewal offer published elsewhere.
Alfred Biry was a business caller at this office Wednesday.
Little Miss Irene Lebold left Wednesday for Macdona on a visit.
Mrs. Ira Schmidt and baby are the guests of Mrs. Schmidt's parents in Dallas.
Miss Gertrude Negley of San Antonio is the guest of Miss Evelyn de Montel this week.

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Joe Zerr was a passenger east Thursday.
Miss Linnie Beal was a passenger east Thursday.
B. J. Butler is here from Staples on a visit to relatives.
Phone 37 for special auto livery. McClaugherty & Son. 25-tf.
FOR SALE CHEAP—Coe Surry in good repair. Geo. H. Kimmey.
GRAPES! GRAPES! GRAPES! Get them at F. Qualia's, Del Rio. 50-p
If you have not seen it watch for the Classy Country Club Overland Roadster.
Get your fruits and vegetables at Barrientes & Sons. The people with the GOODS.
Miss Elsie Bradley left for Del Rio Thursday on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Eugene Mcfield.
All kinds of furniture repairing at Edwin F. Bendele's. All work done at reasonable prices. 14-tf
Phone 200, or see us for our prices, any time. Yours for business, L. Barrientes & Son's.
For Rent,—the Hall cottage on Carle Ave. Apply to Mrs. Fletcher Davis at Anvil Herald office.
Mrs. Hugh Woods and children are here from Seguin on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Swearingen.
NICE FRESH BUTTER for sale. Ring telephone No. 61, 5 rings. Will deliver anywhere in town. 1t-p
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Miss Minnie J. Jones left for her home in Del Rio Thursday after a pleasant visit to relatives and friends here.
Mrs. Dr. W. H. Smith and children returned last week from quite a protracted visit to points in New Mexico and Colorado.
J. T. Smith went to San Antonio Thursday to be with his son, Rube, who was operated on for appendicitis at a hospital Wednesday evening.
When you want to sell your chickens or any other kind of poultry, see or ring us first, as we can give you better prices. L. Barrientes and Sons.
G. W. Wooten is here from Georgia on a visit to D. L. Williams and family near Yancey. Mr. Wooten is enjoying his visit despite the hot, dry weather.
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Doughtry and son Harry, and Finley Doughtry, all of Waco, spent a few days this week as guests of old time friends, E. W. Lacy and family.
H. E. Haass, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Co.
Isidor Marks, the Sabinal merchant, passed through here Tuesday and informed us that the firm of B. Marks & Son are moving their mercantile business from Sabinal to San Benito.
Anne Davis, who spent last week in Castroville visiting her cousin, Miss Florence Scherrer, returned home Monday. She was accompanied home by Misses Florence who is her guest here this week.
W. H. Hawkes was in town Thursday from Lacoste. He informed us that his son, John, had joined the seventh reserve corps of army engineers and has gone to Atlanta, Georgia, for training before being sent to France for army railroad service.
Joe Fohn, J. M. Finger, J. J. Droitcourt and H. Hartman left Wednesday on an auto trip to San Angelo, Ft. Worth and intermediate points on a few days pleasure trip. They will visit a large part of Texas on this journey and view many interesting scenes.

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Ben Koch was a business visitor from D'Hanis Monday.
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Mrs. J. N. Dowdy was an A'lamo City visitor Wednesday.
C. M. Licklider made a business trip to San Antonio Tuesday.
A. C. Cooley went to San Antonio Tuesday to seek a position.
Mrs. L. Hartung visited her daughter, Mrs. Paul Koch, in D'Hanis this week.
Mrs. Bennie Koch of D'Hanis visited her aunt, Mrs. L. E. Heath, here this week.
Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Short and son, Master Howard, and Miss Evelyn Lacy left yesterday morning for Seguin.
COTTONSEED WANTED—Anyone having cottonseed for sale will please see or phone Jack Fusselman. 47-1m
Mrs. George Bailey and children are here from Devine on a visit to Mrs. Bailey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCall.
Misses Clara Schultz and Albertina Kallafschny of San Antonio are the guests of Misses Lurene and Clara Decker.
Miss Nellie Schneider, the courteous clerk at the City Bakery, is taking a lay off. Mrs. A. C. Cooley is acting as relief clerk.
Dr. Nixon passed through here on Wednesday morning's east bound train en route home from a visit to his ranches out west.
Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Davis and children, Octavia and Marion, and Mrs. Scherrer of Castroville, motored to San Antonio Wednesday.
Buy your phone batteries—Columbia—at C. R. Gaines; and remember, I sell the Edison Diamond Disc; also the auto tire that gives satisfaction.
For quick sale—3 or more shares in Hondo Electric Light, Ice & Power Co. Cash Only. Make us an offer. Hanley & Davis, box J, D'Hanis, Tex.
Mrs. E. W. Martin has sold the air-dome to B. H. Hunter of Sabinal. Mr. Hunter gave his initial show here Monday night and will show three times a week in future.
We now get Columbia Batteries for Phones, Gas Engines, etc., direct from factory. A fresh supply in stock at all times. Give them a trial Citizens' Motor Car Co.
I have opened up a dairy here. Will make two deliveries a day, morning and evening. I am in this business to stay. Milk 10c quart; cream 25c. pint. Phone 217. C. D. Earnest. 48
Are you coming to the soldier boys' farewell dance and mid-nite lunch Tuesday night July 24, at the Hondo Auditorium? You are invited. Music by San Antonio's best orchestra. Don't forget.
Ben Miller, after a couple of weeks' spent here with homefolks and friends, returned last Saturday to his station at Charleston, South Carolina. He expects to be assigned to duty on the water soon.
OREGON and CALIFORNIA RAILROAD CO. GRANT LANDS. Legal fight over land at last ended. Title retested in United States. Land by Act of Congress, ordered to be opened under homestead laws for settlement and sale. Two million three hundred thousand acres. Containing some of the best timber and agricultural lands left in the United States. Large copyrighted map showing land by townships and sections, laws covering same and description of soil, climate, rainfall, elevations, temperature, etc., postpaid \$1. Grant Lands Locating Co., Portland Oregon.
Dr. J. E. Schlottmann leaves tonight for the State Dental College at Dallas where he goes to take a short post graduate course in a branch of his profession. The professors who will conduct the course come from New York and are men of ability and master workman in the realm of dental mechanics. This is a great opportunity for Texas dentists and as the time is limited the doctor will have to leave his practice for a few days as he is always eager to obtain the most advanced methods pertaining to his profession. In his appreciation of the patronage he has received here he considers the best none too good for the people of Hondo.
J. R. Dubose of near Devine is the first man in Medina County to secure a loan under the new Federal Land Bank system. Papers were filed here Thursday by J. R. Dubose to M. H. Gossett, trustee for the Federal Land Bank, giving a 36-year mortgage on a one hundred and eleven acre homestead for a loan of \$300.00. The loan and interest will be paid back by the amortization plan at the rate of \$27.00 a year. It can be paid in full any time after five years. The rate of interest is only 5 per cent. Judge H. E. Haass, manager of the Medina Abstract Company, made the abstract for the loan bank and was highly complimented by the bank for his efficient work.

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SAN ANTONIO
Corpus Christi and Brownsville

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| No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 1 | No. 2 |
| San Antonio | San Antonio | San Antonio | San Antonio |
| Mathis | Mathis | Mathis | Mathis |
| Odem | Odem | Odem | Odem |
| Corpus Christi | Corpus Christi | Corpus Christi | Corpus Christi |
| Kingsville | Kingsville | Kingsville | Kingsville |
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WOMEN'S WOES.
 Hondo Women are Finding Relief at Last
 It does seem that women have more than a fair share of the aches and pains that afflict humanity; they must "keep up," must attend to duties in spite of constantly aching backs, or headaches, dizzy spells, bearing-down pains; they must stoop over, when to stoop means torture. They must walk and bend and work with racking pains and many aches from kidney ills. Keeping the kidneys well has spared thousands of women much misery. Read of a remedy for kidneys only that is endorsed by people in this locality.
 Mrs. T. E. Gourley, 124 Drexel Ave., San Antonio, Texas, says: "The first kidney trouble I had was an ache in the small of my back. Every morning when I got up, I felt tired, for the night's rest didn't seem to benefit me at all. I had occasional headaches, too. Doan's Kidney Pills certainly gave me quick relief and I soon felt well again. I usually have a box of Doan's Kidney Pills in the house; and whenever I have needed them, I have had fine relief."
 Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Gourley had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Early Days in Texas.
 Hunter's Frontier Magazine for July contains an account of the Great Indian battle on the Concho, a true story of a gold hunting expedition of 1866; The First Campmeeting in Grayson county; John Braden's Loaded Musket, a narrative of pioneer days in Montague county; The killing of Burrell Brown by Comanche Indians in Coleman county; Texas Rangers Capture Band of train Robbers; Killing Indians in The Frio Country; and other true stories. This magazine records only true stories of Frontier History, Border Tragedy, Pioneer Achievements, Old Trail Drivers Reminiscence, Indian Depredations, etc. Price \$1.50 a year. Send 15c in (silver) for July number before the issue is exhausted. Hunter's Frontier Magazine, P. O. Box 783, San Antonio, Texas. Agents wanted.

NOTICE!
Stockholders of Hondo State Bank.
 Meeting of the stockholders of this bank, for the purpose of electing officers and directors, and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it, will be held at its banking house on August 7th, 1917, at 2:30 p. m.
 H. F. KING, Cashier.

Services at the Catholic Church.
 During the summer months the hours of services at the church of St. John the Evangelist will be as follows:
 Sunday, 9 A. M., High Mass.
 Sunday School after Mass.
 7:30 P. M., evening services.
 On week-days Holy Mass is celebrated at 7:30 A. M.

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A WORD FOR MOTHERS
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 If your work is tiring; if your nerves are excited; if you feel languid, weary or depressed, you should know that Scott's Emulsion overcomes just such conditions. It possesses in concentrated form the very elements to invigorate the blood, strengthen the tissues, nourish the nerves and build strength.
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Solved
 Cap'n Nahum Quinn, senior member of the Board of Naval Strategy, which meets every afternoon under the lee quarter of Grindle's store, says that what the government wants to do to solve this U-boat menace is to send an expedition down to the Popogo islands and get some of those trained swordfish, educate them to attack the submarines and in no time, or a little longer, they will wipe out the scourge of the seas, so the cap'n says.
 The only doubtful part of the proposition is that the captain hasn't had any intimate knowledge of those wonderful fish for nearly sixty years and, having lost his old charts, couldn't give accurate sailing directions for making Popogo islands, more than that they are somewhere in the South sea.
 The captain unfolded his plan to the board the other afternoon after a long discussion as to the best ways and means to clean up the enemy submarines.

"Twas when I was second mate of the brig Bagaduce of Castine, and we was tradin' along the South Sea islands, pickin' up palm oil and such stuff, an' we made a big island of the Popogo group and all hands went ashore.
 "Them natives wasn't much better than cannibals, but they'd done somethin' I never heard tell of 'fore or since—had trained a big shoal of swordfish—not 'actly the build and rig o' the swordfish we know about, but bigger and fiercer and with snouts that they carried like the flyin' jibboom of a Dutch galliot, cocked up, short and broad and sharp as a harpoon.
 "Long late every afternoon them swordfish come sailin' in, each one with a load of fish stickin' on his horn, the big fat kinds of fish they eat down there, somethin' like our mack'el, only ten times as big.
 "All the lazy natives had to do was to put out in their sampans and pick off'n the horns and take 'em ashore. Some they chewed half raw, and tothers they hung up to dry. Then the swordfish sported 'round in the cove until next day and went out again.
 "One morning we heard an awful hullabaloo on shore. They was beatin' drums and runnin' round and pointin' out towards the offing, where we sighted half a dozen big canoes filled with blacks headin' in shore.
 "We wan't long in findin' out that they was piruts from another island that was comin' over to start a fight. Next thing we see was the natives workin' among the swordfish, making fast long steel spearslike to their horns, reg'lar bay'nets.
 "There was one big fish, sort o' cap'n o' the fleet and the boss of the village he p'inted him towards the piruts and yelled somethin' like a ki-yodollin' which the fish seemed to understand and the whole drove started for them piruts.
 "Never see such a sight in all my life, mates. Them fish with them swords attacked them piruts in no time. They ripped up them canoes, and they was pretty able craft, in no time. The water 'biled around 'em and all you could see was black heads a' swimmin' round and floatin' on wreckage.
 "Then the swordfish all swum back to shore. Some had lost off their bay'nets, but they had driv' off the piruts—duuno what become of 'em.
 "Well, we sent a barrel o' rum ashore and got on the right side of the big fat robber that seemed to be boss of the island and he showed us what them swordfish could do.
 "There was always more or less sharks playin' round just outside the bar an' the head man picked out half a dozen of his fish and sent 'em after the sharks—just for the fun 'o the thing. Pretty soon they come back, proud as pups, towin' dead sharks between 'em. 'Bout every shark was most cut in two."
 "But Cap'n," put in Skipper Olsen, "what's your reck'in 'bout them fish doin' much with them U-boats?"
 "Wa—a—a—I—I— wasn't I tellin' ye that they was trained to go get anythin' they was p'inted at? Now if I was fifty years younger and the guv'm't would gimme a ship o' some kind I'd make for the Popogo islands and get a shoal o' them swordfish, an' I'd put 'em through a course o' trainin' to go after submarines.
 "All they'd need was some extra good steel bay'nets to bolt on to their horns. Then, sir, I'd head 'em North and sic 'em on the submarines.
 "Let one of them big ones hit a submarine head on, with all his half-a-ton behind his sword, and that would be the end of that particular submarine.
 "I ain't askin' nothin' for the idee, and I ain't got no patent on it—but I see that more'n 500 idee was sent on to Washington to get at them submarines and they might be many more a good deal foolisher—a good deal."
 "I'll bet that the experts in Washington that are drawing big pay never heard of such a thing as sending trained swordfish to fight submarines," put in Grindle.
 "No—they'd prob'ly think I was lyin' about it," mused Cap'n Quinn.

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Exhaustion of Soil by Cultivation.

Plants derive from the atmosphere and from water but a small number of materials required for their development.

From these sources they only obtain carbon, hydrogen, oxygen and a very small amount of nitrogen.

All material substances and the greater part of the nitrogen, required in the production of the several organic compounds for the growth of plants, must be supplied by the soil.

Since all plants contain a certain amount of material derived from the soil, it follows that this soil must in all cases sustain a corresponding loss. Hence, from every cultivated crop the soil sustains a loss proportionate to the abundance and richness of the produce, and when the products of the crop are sold and nothing returned, no matter how fertile the land may be, it will sooner or later show symptoms of exhaustion.

Even should the crops, or parts of them, be consumed and the residue not applied to the soil, then the loss of fertility is inevitable.

Grain crops are more exhausting than other crops, as they remove from the soil during their growth large quantities of nitrogen, phosphoric acid, sulphuric acid and many other valuable mineral constituents.

All crops, especially deep rooted crops, always have a certain amount of organic matter coming from decayed roots, therefore the loss of nitrogen and other mineral constituents is not so great as when everything is taken from the soil.

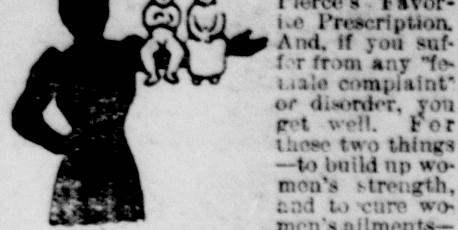
The loss of material incurred by the soil in the growth of crops, is felt chiefly in the organic substances, or the mineral food of plants.

The atmosphere food of plants, with the exception of ammonia, exerts no influence upon the exhaustion of the soil, because the amount of carbonic acid and other ingredients in the atmosphere are inexhaustible.

The mineral constituents of plants, as phosphoric acid, sulphuric acid and potash, are supplied solely by the soil, and it is chiefly by the loss of these constituents that the fertility of the soil is impaired by cultivation.

It is sometimes thought that the mineral constituents are the only materials to be supplied to plants, and that plants can obtain for themselves from the atmosphere the requisite amount of ammonia to furnish all the nitrogen required in the development

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Mrs. KATE WARD, Route 2, Box 2, Waxahachie, Texas, says: "I was in very bad health, could not get any sleep. Through the advice of a friend, I tried Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and began to mend. Can say I am now sound and well, and will always praise your medicines. I advise young mothers and women who are in bad health to use 'Favorite Prescription.' Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure biliousness."

of flesh forming principles. But it is pretty certain that the chief part of nitrogen present in cultivated plants or crops comes from the soil and not from the atmosphere.

Nitrogen as well as mineral or inorganic substances contained in a crop have been supplied by the soil.

Another matter connected with the exhaustion of the soil by culture, is the well known fact that the soil may become depleted in reference to one crop and yet be fertile to another. The cause of the inability of the soil to produce many successive crops of the same kind is explained by the simple fact, that a soil which has suffered from a drain upon one or two of its constituents for the development of a certain crop, will be unable to furnish the additional quantity of same materials requisite for the healthy growth of the second crop of same kind. Still, its stock of other substances being undiminished it is fully capable of responding to the demands of some other crop that may require different set of materials.

Besides the character of material a crop extracts from the soil, its place in a series of crops is regulated by the capabilities and habits of the plant composing it.

It is well known that different kinds of plants are very unlike in their ability of providing for themselves in seeking for their food contained in the soil. Thus some plants are helpless and languish for want of food unless it is placed within easy reach.

Others again are industrious, and if food is at all to be had, they will search for it and find it, and for this purpose they send their roots down in the soil and in all directions for the materials required for their development.

In this class of plants are all clovers including alfalfa and all natural grasses.

The other class of plants are those by reason of their rapid growth and unfitted for searching for their own food; therefore all plant food taken must be placed so that it can be reached easily and especially during the early period of their growth.

Natural Renovation of the Soil. It is well known that a soil wholly or partly exhausted will, if left to itself, in course of a few years recover its fertility.

There are several bodies existing in the soil which possess the power of absorbing and fixing ammonia of the air. The ammonia collected in this manner, though very small in quantity, must be considered in the natural restoration of the soil. By the spontaneous growth of herbage the surface soil becomes enriched by the accumulation of organic matter derived from water and the atmosphere.

Also by the same means, mineral substances existing in the lower regions of the soil, will be brought to the surface and distributed through this organic matter.

Even during the ordinary systems of cultivation, the amount of organic matter in the soil may increase, because many plants produce even a larger amount of organic material, in the shape of roots, under the surface than they do above it.

On the decay of organic matter all the mineral substances these decayed roots contain, are separated and distributed through a porous mass so that the roots of living plants can easily penetrate a feed upon them.

The mineral constituents of the soil, in a soluble and available form, constitute its mineral fertilizing materials.

By the unceasing action of the Weather all insoluble and useless compounds are slowly converted into combinations that are conveyed to the plants through the medium of water. To this cause is chiefly ascribed the restoration of land when left to itself.

In many soils the quantity of fertilizing materials is very great and by deep plowing (6 inches and over) exposure to frost, harrowing and cultivating; nature is assisted in setting free and rendering available these hidden treasures that are found in the deeper portion of the soil and which are inexhaustible and will last for generations to come.

SAM NEEL. "Misery loves company," but she gets but little.

From the Far Northwest.

MONROE, WASHINGTON,
July 13, 1917.

Dear Friends:

Am writing this letter to put in print in the Hondo Anvil Herald. We still have the paper coming way up here to Washington. We could not do without the old home paper. We get it every Thursday.

I saw in the Hondo paper that everything was drying up down there. It is just the other way up here. Here it rains nearly all the time. Of course now the summer is beginning to come and hope it will stay awhile.

The summer is beautiful up here, with all the pretty flowers and all the different kinds of trees. Up here everything is always green both winter and summer.

The forests are beautiful sights. The different trees are as follows: spruce, hemlock, pine, fir, cedar, dogwood and maple. Perhaps there are some others that I have yet to learn the names of.

The wild flowers in the forests here are just as pretty as the garden flowers in Texas. I haven't learned the names of any of the flowers yet, so I cannot tell you.

Another great sight here is the saw-mill. I went all through it a short while ago. It is worth while to take your time while going through it. They saw those great big trees into pieces before you can turn round; then the big pieces are cut into 2x4s, etc.; the waste part is thrown into a big pile and burned.

One can hear trees falling in the forest all day long. The trees are cut down in the forest, put on the lake and floated to the saw-mill. They blast the logs out of the ground with dynamite. But my, that makes a noise.

And talk about fruit! All the different kinds of fruit is found here, such as apples, pears, plums, prunes, cherries, peaches, quinces, strawberries, raspberries, loganberries, gooseberries, currants and blackberries. And then there is a quite a variety of wild fruits. The strawberries, cherries and blackberries are ripening now. My! they taste good.

But they haven't as many wild birds here as they have in Texas; they have just a few here and they are not as pretty as those down there.

The State of Washington is dry as an oven. No King Barley Corn here. So you see Washington is dry in one respect, too.

They have plenty of water here, and it is just as soft as rain-water. There are springs coming down the mountains everywhere, and it is clear as crystal and as cold as ice.

We are living in the town of Monroe now. It is about the size of Hondo, but for my part I like Hondo best. And, besides, Monroe is not as sanitary as Hondo. We are going to Seattle in about two weeks. Seattle is a big place, but I don't like it as well as Hondo.

The last thing I am going to write about is the people. The people here are self-centered and selfish. They lack the hospitality of true Texans. They will have to reach a higher degree in some respects to be compared to the Texas people. So give me Texas and her people any time, as there is no place like home.

Will write again if I am welcome. Thought I would write this letter to tell the people down there how everything is up here. The most important things you need here is the rain-coat and umbrella.

I remain your friend,
MATTIE NAEGLIN.
Box 461, Monroe, Washington.

Constipation and Indigestion.

"I have used Chamberlain's Tablets and must say they are the best I have ever used for constipation and indigestion. My wife also used them for indigestion and they did her good," writes Eugene S. Knight, Wilmington, N. C. Chamberlain's Tablets are mild and gentle in their action. Give them a trial. You are certain to be pleased with the agreeable laxative effect which they produce. Obtainable everywhere.

The Truth or Silence are all that count, anybody can lie.

Stomach Trouble Cured.

If you have any trouble with your stomach you should take Chamberlain's Tablets. Mr. J. P. Klote of Edina, Mo., says: "I have used a great many different medicines for stomach trouble, but find Chamberlain's Tablets more beneficial than any other remedy I ever used." For sale by all dealers.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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YES! LIFT A CORN OFF WITHOUT PAIN!

Cincinnati authority tells how to dry up a corn or callus so it lifts off with fingers.

You corn-pestered men and women need suffer no longer. Wear the shoes that nearly killed you before, says this Cincinnati authority, because a few drops of freezone applied directly on a tender, aching corn or callus, stops soreness at once and soon the corn or hardened callus loosens so it can be lifted out, root and all, without pain.

A small bottle of freezone cost very little at any drug store, but will positively take off every hard or soft corn or callus. This should be tried, as it is inexpensive and is said not to irritate the surrounding skin.

If your druggist hasn't any freezone tell him to get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house. It is fine stuff and acts like a charm every time.

FLASHLIGHTS

The world owes every man a living, but it isn't going to hand him cake and other luxuries on that account.

We don't know much about mind telepathy and thought transference but we do know that just as soon as we get nicely lathered for a shave the longest-winded friend we know is going to call us to the telephone.

If it wasn't for the men who invented celery dishes and pickle forks and salt and pepper shakers most of us would have to spend some real money for wedding presents.

Some men are trying to do today's work with last year's ideas and tools.

Bed in the Ceiling.

A bed in the ceiling is the newest for those who own small bungalows or cottages which lack guests rooms. The arrangement does not usurp wall, closet or floor space. Two false panels are employed, so that the place of concealment is always covered. When the bed is lowered to the floor one of these panels descends and seals the opening. The other one, which is held below the bed, fits into place when the latter is raised. The bed is held in a box installed between the ceiling and the floor above. Cables attached to its four corners pass around pulleys mounted in the retaining box, extend through channels cut in the joists, and are made fast to a winding drum fitted in one of the side walls.

They Threw Her Out.

There is a crying demand for woman farm workers for apparel which is sensible and appropriate and at the same time will differentiate them from men workers. This has been emphasized by the experience of a young woman of society who has just been home for a week-end visit after spending a fortnight in a dairy, says a London cable to the New York Sun.

When she began her work this young woman adopted a natty costume which was becoming, in spite of its similarity to masculine garb. All went well until she started home. On going into the women's dressing room in a railway station her appearance created a riot and she was thrown out. She had been mistaken for a man.

Kindness.

Private Simpkins had returned from the front to find that his girl had been walking out with another young man, and naturally asked her to explain her frequent promenades in the city with the gentleman.

"Well, dear," she replied, "it was only kindness on his part. He took me down every day to the library to see if you were killed."—Pearson's Weekly.

Comfortably Convinced.

"Do you believe in reincarnation?" "Yes," replied Miss Cayenne. "Then you have studied the subject?" "No. I like the idea so well, I'm afraid that if I studied it I might not feel so sure about it."

Taking Big Chances.

It is a great risk to travel without a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, as this preparation cannot be obtained on the trains or steamships. Attacks of bowel complaint are often sudden and very severe, and everyone should go prepared for them. Obtainable everywhere.

An education without a "pull" is like a cart without a horse.

"Love is blind," but he is no beggar.

LaCoste Ledger Laconics.

Mr. Alois Hitts celebrated his 77th birthday at his home here on July 4th. Refreshments of cake and various kinds were served in abundance, which were not refused by those present.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Huegele was baptised in the St. Louis Catholic Church Sunday. The names given her are Hilda, Elizabeth, Alta. The sponsors are Miss Ada Haby and Mr. Robert Haby.

The Hitzfelder Bros. were selling tomatoes in our town last Friday and Saturday. They sold like hot cakes and Oscar says they pick 60 buckets of fruits every day on about one acre of ground under irrigation near the main canal. It is estimated that this acre of tomatoes will bring in about \$300.00 this year.

Dr. Alfred Ahlman and wife, of Millett, LaSalle County, were Lacoste visitors this week. Dr. Ahlman has completed arrangements whereby he will remove his drug store from Millett to Lecoste, and locate in the building formerly occupied by the Dickey Drug Co. He expects to get here some time during the latter part of the month.

Mrs. A. G. Oefinger left for her home at Hurley, New Mexico, after staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bippert Sr., for several weeks.

Mrs. Ed Kempf and son left for Hondo Friday after several days stay here with relatives.

Biliousness and Stomach Trouble.

"Two years ago I suffered from frequent attacks of stomach trouble and biliousness," writes Miss Emma Verbyrke, Lima, Ohio. "I could eat very little food that agreed with me and I became so dizzy and sick at my stomach at times that I had to take hold of something to keep from falling. Seeing Chamberlain's Tablets advertised I decided to try them. I improved rapidly." Obtainable everywhere.

If you want forgiveness, you must be forgiving.

The hand of Destiny writes the will of God.

GIRLS! WHITEN YOUR SKIN WITH LEMON

Make a beauty lotion for a few remove tan, freckles, sall

Your grocer has the lemons drug store or toilet counter with you with three ounces of orange for a few cents. Squeeze the two fresh lemons into a bottle, in the orchard white and skin. This makes a quarter pint of best lemon skin whitener and beautifier known. Massage grant, creamy lotion daily into neck, arms and hands and just freckles, tan, sallowness, red roughness disappear and how soft and clear the skin becomes. It is harmless, and the beautifying will surprise you.

Sabinal Sentinel Sifts

At her home on Tuesday Mrs. T. E. Wyatt entertains Bridge Club in honor of Mr. McKee who is visiting her sister Edgar B. Kincaid.

Mrs. J. A. Rogers returned from a visit in Hondo.

Mr. Isidor Marks left Sunday for San Benito on a pro trip.

Mrs. Brauer of Del Rio, been visiting her sister, Mr. Reinhart, returned home Monday.

Mr. J. W. Brashier and family to Del Rio yesterday.

Mr. Fred Reinhart was on Seco yesterday.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Every family without exception should keep this preparation during the hot weather of the months. Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy is worth times its cost when needed almost certain to be needed by summer is over. It has no equal for the purposes for which it is used. Buy it now. Obtainable everywhere.

Arrangements have been made by J. W. L. Hanley to do a real business at D'Hanis. See his depot at that place and talk of real estate wants with him. Davis.

INDIGESTION

If you are ever troubled with indigestion, Chamberlain's Tablets will do you good. They strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. There are hundreds of people who have been restored to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Tablets. When you feel dull and languid after eating you may know that your digestion is faulty, unless you have eaten more than you should. Belching, sour stomach, bloating are symptoms of indigestion and are relieved by taking Chamberlain's Tablets as directed. Indigestion is usually accompanied by flatulence and is aggravated by indigestion and is aggravated by indigestion. Chamberlain's Tablets cause a permanent of the bowels, relieving indigestion. Chamberlain's Tablets are also most excellent for indigestion. Sold everywhere.

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"Dodson's Liver Tonic" is Harmless To Clean Your Sluggish Liver and Bowels.

Ugh! Calomel makes you sick. It's horrible! Take a dose of the dangerous drug tonight and tomorrow you may lose a day's work.

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel, when it comes into contact with your bile crashes into it, breaking it up. This is when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. If you are sluggish and "all knocked out," if your liver is torpid and bowels constipated or you have headache, dizziness, coated tongue, if breath is bad or stomach sour, just try a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tonic tonight on my guarantee.

Here's my guarantee—Go to a store and get a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic. Take a spoonful if it doesn't straighten you out, and make you feel fine and want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tonic is destroying the sale of calomel. It is real liver medicine; entire table, therefore it can not be made to make you sick.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tonic will put your liver to work and clean your bile that your bile and constipation which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic will keep your entire family feeling months. Give it to your children; harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUILD REAL ESTATE

See what we are offering

For Sale—42½ acres adjoining town site of D'Hanis; house, good well, about 20 acres in field; all can be put in cultivation, or used for any purpose; has switch facilities now; is a valuable piece of property.

For Sale—A good four-room house on three nice lots in location with a good well and other improvements. Can be sold at a low price and on reasonable terms. If you want a house, see R. B. REYNOLDS owner, or apply to either of them.

For Sale—Lot 10, Blk 53. Lot is 50 by 160, at Sansom, T. Uvalde, Corner Lot, Faces plaza. Good 4 Room house. water. This is good investment. If interested see U.S.

For Sale—Entire half Block—a Business property at D'Hanis. Consists of 4 Front Lots, 120 feet Front to 3 Rear Lots. Has best water South of track, 4 Room and Celler Brick Property too valuable as a residence proposition. Fine for wide awake and Live Merchant. Take a look at our See all the Substantial Buildings. See two of the Largest Yards in the State. Get Busy this property has never been sold before and will go.

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Many thousands of women suffering from womanly trouble, have been benefited by the use of Cardui, the woman's tonic, according to letters we receive, similar to this one from Mrs. Z. V. Spell, of Hayne, N. C. "I could not stand on my feet, and just suffered terribly," she says. "As my suffering was so great, and he had tried other remedies, Dr. — had us get Cardui. . . I began improving, and it cured me. I know, and my doctor knows, what Cardui did for me, for my nerves and health were about gone."

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The Woman's Tonic

She writes further: "I am in splendid health . . . can do my work. I feel I owe it to Cardui, for I was in dreadful condition." If you are nervous, run-down and weak, or suffer from headache, backache, etc., every month, try Cardui. Thousands of women praise this medicine for the good it has done them, and many physicians who have used Cardui successfully with their women patients, for years, endorse this medicine. Think what it means to be in splendid health, like Mrs. Spell. Give Cardui a trial.

All Druggists

To the Public:

Having decided to quit working and help Uncle Sam fight his battles in Europe, I have sold my tailoring business in Hondo to Mr. Clyde W. Stone, who will continue the same at the old stand. In thus disposing of the business you have helped me to establish, I want to thank you for past favors and to assure you that a continuation of your generous patronage to my successor will be appreciated. Very gratefully yours,
GEO. R. CARLE.

In taking charge of the business of the City Tailor Shop, I can do no more than assure my customers and friends that I shall strive to maintain the splendid reputation my predecessor has given it for good and prompt service. Give me your patronage and I shall try to merit it. Yours for service,
CLYDE W. STONE.

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Service, buy Goodyear tires. Motor Car Co.

of buying, selling or trading 199 or visit City Garage. 200 for nice fresh green. Fresh shipments received

shipment of Goodyear tires, supplies just in. See them

supply of fishing equipment, reels, etc.—now on hand

SALE CHEAP—About 15 cows condition. Address Jno. Zula, Dunlap, Texas. 49-2t

license was issued July J. McCabe, a soldier boy (Cork) and Miss Blanche M. a young lady from Brackett-

Ischirhart and children to their home at Noonan for a pleasant visit to her Ferdinand Kilhorn, and

Woman, Vehicle and Implement, has just received a new of vehicles. See him for anything you want in

Peterson, a former Hondo lately of Austin, was here on a visit to friends. Luther in the aviators and ex-

work in the Chapter and agrees at the local masonic first four nights of this of three being given all J. C. Warren of San conducted the work.

burning was out from San this week on a visit to his August Hornung, and family. returned to San Antonio morning. He was accompanied by Federal inspection for the artillery.



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Extra low round trip fares to College Station account Farmers' Congress, July 29-30-31-August 1st, limit August 5th.

ASK THE AGENT

See our renewal notice elsewhere. Adolph Nietenhoefer and son, Fritz, were San Antonio visitors Friday.

Wheeler Hancock is back from San Antonio where he has been at work.

A fine boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Folkert Muennink, Wednesday, July 18th.

For Sale—2½ horse power gasoline engine for sale. Apply to Citizens' Motor Car Company. 41-tf.

The Hondo Land Co. has made connections whereby it can advertise in several newspapers. List your lands with it.

Five Dollar Duplex Razor now \$1 at C. R. Gaines—the only safety razor that you can shave with like the old-time razor. 46

Remember, we handle a full line of the renowned Goodyear tires and accessories. Yours for service, Citizens' Motor Car Co.

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WISE AND OTHERWISE

Love and wisdom are seldom on speaking terms.

An easy lesson in bookkeeping: Don't lend them.

To be a gentleman all a man has to do is hide his meanness.

He is not the best fighter but the best runner who wins the political battle.

Any book that is not worth printing becomes in time a rare literary curiosity.

All of us can learn something from the baby. It is good natured in the morning.

When a jealous man marries a jealous woman the community can get a little rest.

A synonym is a word that can be used in place of another when you don't know how to spell the other.

TOO MUCH BREAD AND MEAT

Menu of the Average Family of Small Income Not Properly Balanced, It Is Declared.

In the investigation made by the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor it was found that the 75 families of varying nationalities under consideration did not eat what it had been decided they should to meet their food requirements. They almost all exceeded the bread and meat ration.

Incomes were irregular, but whenever there was any money on hand the families plunged in the purchase of meat and bread. The average family had bread or sugar buns and tea for breakfast; at noon something from the delicatessen, such as ham or potato salad, and more tea; and at night meat with potatoes and sometimes another vegetable, bread and coffee. Children had the same diet as their elders. All except the Americanized Italians eat meat at least once and often twice a day whenever they have the price. There is a great reluctance to use peas, beans and other substitutes for potatoes.

Boys, Raise a Sheep.

We are very short on sheep. Our 50,000,000 sheep at their best can only grow enough wool to make each one of us a suit of clothes once in four years. The foreign wool which under normal conditions came to us is now largely diverted to war purposes. Thousands of boys and girls can each raise one or two sheep and find sufficient pasture on their own lawn, thus turning into food and clothes the grass which has previously been thrown away, writes H. H. Windsor in Popular Mechanics. More poultry can be kept, and be fed on the present waste from kitchen and table. We must all learn thrift, and break away from our thoughtless, heedless disregard of waste. Waste is little short of a crime at any time, and fully that in these days when millions are sadly underfed and thousands are actually starving.

TRIMMED



"You were engaged to a manicurist, I believe."

"Yes, and I got trimmed."

Such Is Life.

"Alas!" she cried, "it is my fate. I might have expected it. All my life things have gone wrong with me. Luck has always been against me. I must have been born under an evil star."

"My dear," her friend asked, "what has happened? Why are you so depressed?"

"I have practiced eighteen months to become able to shed tears at will, and now I've got it. I can't get a job either in melodrama or the movies."—Judge.

A Good Wish.

"Father," said little Tommie, looking up from his "Arabian Nights," "if you could have one wish that you knew would be granted, what would you wish?"

"That's easy, Tommie," said his dad. "I would wish for a dozen more wishes."

BUSY



"Taken in any ball games this year?"

"No, had to have wife along every game."

Gives Invention to Blind.

A patented automatic writing appliance for the blinded Canadian soldiers has been made available to the military hospitals commission through the gift of an expatriated Canadian woman now living at Pasadena, Cal. The device, which was her own invention, and was patented in 1897, has been indorsed by the principal institutions for the blind in the United States, and commends itself instantly to any observer as an exceedingly simple yet practical help to the blind man using a pencil or pen. The object of the device is to enable the man to write in a straight line across the page.

Miss Edith Fergusson Black, the inventor, forwarded to the commission a sample of the article and the fifteen jigs, dies and tools necessary to manufacture others.

Saucer Fruit Pies.

Line fireproof saucers with good pastry, fill with uncooked rice to hold crusts in shape, and bake in a hot oven. When cool turn out rice and put in fruit. The fruit should be drained and arranged in saucers just before serving time, so that crusts may not become soaked with juice.

Emmett de Montel returned Friday of last week from Houston where he stood a successful examination for a second lieutenantcy in the Texas National Guard.

An incipient blaze at D. B. Martin's home in the east part of town early Sunday night brought out the fire department, but fortunately the fire was extinguished before any material damage was done.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

County Demonstration Agent T. N. Lee has moved his office from the County Superintendent's office to the County library room on the same floor in the court house. He can be found there in the future by those having business with him.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 25c.

Rube Smith was taken to a hospital in San Antonio Wednesday evening where he was operated on for appendicitis. The operation was a difficult one, but at last report he was progressing favorably toward recovery. He was accompanied to the hospital by his sister, Miss Alice Smith.

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Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 25c.

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AT

D'HANIS

August 3d & 4th

On the afternoon of the 3rd there will be a DOUBLE-HEADER BASE BALL GAME at Reinhart's Park. At night a GRAND BALL at the Sons of Herman Hall.

On the afternoon of the 4th another Game of BASE BALL and another GRAND DANCE at night.

Music will be furnished by the famous San Antonio Band.

Everybody is invited to come and take a hand
ME AND ENJOY YOURSELF

Our Castroville Page

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Saves eggs and produces food just as appetizing and delicious at lower cost. The usual number of eggs may be reduced one-half or more in most recipes and often left out altogether by adding a small quantity of Royal Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, in place of each egg omitted.

Try the following recipes and see how well this plan works. You must use Royal Baking Powder to obtain the best results.

CHOCOLATE CAKE

3/4 cup shortening
1 cup sugar
No eggs
1/2 cup milk
2 cups flour

2 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 ounces bitter chocolate
1 teaspoon vanilla

DIRECTIONS—Cream shortening; add sugar, flavoring and melted chocolate; sift dry ingredients together and add, a little at a time, to first mixture, alternately with the milk; beat well for five minutes. Bake in greased loaf pan 40 minutes in moderate oven.

(The old method called for 3 eggs)

CORN MEAL MUFFINS

3/4 cup corn meal
1/2 cup flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
No eggs

2 tablespoons sugar
1 cup milk
2 tablespoons shortening
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder

DIRECTIONS—Sift dry ingredients together into bowl; add milk and melted shortening and beat well. Bake in greased muffin tins in hot oven for about 20 minutes.

(The old method called for 2 eggs)

Book of new recipes which economize in eggs and other expensive ingredients mailed free on request. Address Royal Baking Powder Co., 111 William St., N. Y.

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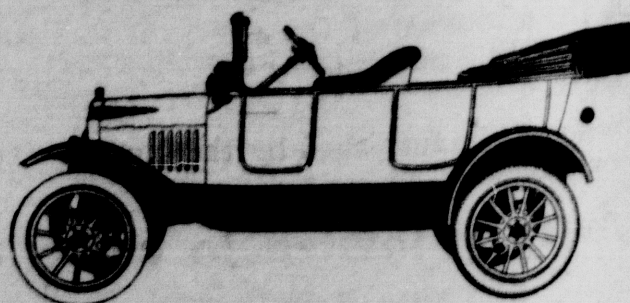
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Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, JULY 19, 1917

ED. HUEHNER, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

Oscar Reus left for the west.

Jack Stein and family spent Sunday here.

Little Anne Davis returned to Hondo Monday.

Jack Fitz-Simon spent several days in San Antonio.

O. H. Wurzbach and family of Cliff spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Alex A. Haby and children were shopping here Tuesday.

Joe Biediger, Jr., made a business trip to San Antonio Thursday.

E. B. and Hugo Haegelin passed through here Wednesday evening.

Otto and Carl Haegelin were here from their ranch one day this week.

Little Miss Mata Haass of San Antonio is visiting relatives here this week.

Fred Ragsdale of Devine was a pleasant visitor in our little burg Monday.

F. Kihorn and daughter, Miss Lizzie, visited at Riomedina the middle of the week.

Empty whiskey barrels for sale cheap. Apply to Wm. Rihn, Castroville, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schott and children of Riomedina were shopping here Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. Kralik and children visited friends at Riomedina during the week.

For Fishing Tackle see us, we have the largest assortment in town. Jos. Courand & Co.

Mrs. Albert Tschirhart and children, Martha and Oscar, are spending the week at Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Johnson and daughters, Hazel and Lucile, were here Wednesday from Lytle.

Our prices on Shoes are lower than elsewhere, as we are giving our customers the advantage of our early purchases. Jos. Courand & Co.

By favor of our commissioner, A. H. Tondre, we took a run to the irrigated lands of the M. V. I. Co. We certainly saw some fine crops of all descriptions. When a fellow out of this dry district goes down there it certainly makes him feel like staying.

Lost, Strayed or Stolen—One bay mare about eight years old, branded 5T (with J on bottom of T and with bar over brand). Five dollars reward for return, or information leading to recovery. Jos. Schneider, Castroville, Texas. 51-3t

Religious services will be held at the Lutheran Church here Sunday afternoon, July 22nd, the event being the 400th anniversary of the Evangelic Lutheran Church. Rev. Gohdes of San Antonio will conduct the service, which will begin at 3:30.

Adolph and Willie Wurzbach, August Wurzbach and family, Otto Wurzbach and family and Henry Wurzbach attended the funeral of Mrs. Rothe at D'Hanis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steinle, Mrs. Theresa Ney and Mesdames Robert Rihn and Louis Scherrer attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Eric Rothe at D'Hanis Sunday.

We handle the Deering Light Draft Mower and the McCormick Self Dump Rake, see them before you buy elsewhere. Jos. Courand & Co.

We still have some Milo Maize and Sudan Grass Seed on hand. Get some now and be ready to plant when it rains. Jos. Courand & Company.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cobb arrived here Monday evening from Winters, Texas, to spend some time with Mrs. Cobb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Rihn.

Henry Vonfle made a flying business trip to the Alamo City Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pichot and children of Hondo were guests of Mesdames Joe and Willie Brieden one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keller and daughter, Miss Della, and Miss Bertie Lamon, spent several days at Hondo and D'Hanis.

Little Misses Laura and Elizabeth Kralik spent the past week with their little friend, Miss Bernice Wurzbach of Cliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tschirhart, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tschirhart and children were Hondo visitors during the week.

E. J. Balmos of Devine, and daughter, Mrs. Clara Ney and little son, E. J., of D'Hanis, visited here Thursday.

Mrs. Seb. Tschirhart, Sr., and sons, Linos, Gabe and Ferdinand, left Monday for Utopia on a visit to kinfolks.

Messrs. Bohlen & Boehle passed through here Wednesday with a bunch of fat cattle for the San Antonio market.

Peter Weynand and son, August E., of Hondo, stopped over a little while en route home from San Antonio.

Mrs. Robert de Montel and daughter, Miss Pauline, were guests of Mrs. Louis Wurzbach Wednesday.

Get an Oil Cook Stove. We gave them in all sizes, with or without Oven. Jos. Courand & Company.

Mrs. Louis Ahr of San Antonio arrived in our midst Tuesday on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cobb and Misses Gertrude and Alice Rihn, were Alamo City visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wurzbach and family were at D'Hanis Sunday for the funeral of Mrs. Rothe.

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Baker-Wheeler Mfg. Co., Dallas Tex.

Mrs. Ed Keller was here from Lacoste one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer were Hondo visitors Monday.

Elmer de Montel was here Friday from Hondo on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schorp of Riomedina spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Henry Wurzbach is visiting in Jourdanon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Haby were Macdona visitors Sunday.

Miss Florence Scherrer is the guest of relatives in Hondo this week.

Miss Clara Wurzbach is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steinle at Dunlay.

Miss Rosa Mangold and brother, Leonard, returned from Lytle Friday.

Harry Steinle returned Monday from a pleasant visit to Galveston.

Miss Stella Stricker visited Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Wurzbach at Cliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schott of Riomedina were shopping here Saturday.

Little Miss Margaret Conrad of San Antonio visited relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hy Vonfle spent Thursday at San Antonio and Saturday at Biry.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerhart Ihnken and little daughter were here Sunday from Noonan.

Miss Carle of San Antonio is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schott and children this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob and Mr. Mrs. Frank Biry, paid a visit to Grandma Biry Monday.

Miss Annie Rihn has returned home from a pleasant visit to relatives in San Antonio.

Milfred Wernette is hauling lumber to his ranch where he will build a new mansion.

Little Miss Ruby Tondre spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Burrell at their ranch.

Try a Bottle of Tanlac, and you will be surprised at the results. Jos. Courand & Co.

Mrs. Eddie Haby of Dunlay and Mrs. Fred Weiss of Gonzales, visited friends here Sunday.

Ed de Montel and son, Elbert, and Judge Fly of Hondo, visited here the middle of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Wurzbach and children were at D'Hanis Sunday for the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Haegelin and little daughter, Doris, visited relatives in Hondo Sunday.

Louis Scherrer and Robert Rihn made a business trip to Chas. and Andrew Haby's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wurzbach and son, Oscar, attended the funeral of Mrs. Rothe Sunday at D'Hanis.

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